Title: Need to withdraw move to amend Chapter V of the Industrial Disputes Act and Section 10 of the Contract Labour Act − laid.

SHRI BHAN SINGH BHAURA (BHATINDA) : The second generation of economic reforms which are being sought to be implemented by the Government through the amendment of Chapter V of Industrial Disputes Act and Section 10 of the Contract Labour Act, will bring in unprecedented miseries in the life of thousands of workers of both organized and unorganized sectors.

On the one hand, it will not only smash the hard-owned democratic Trade Union rights, but on the other, this will push the workers on the brink of total destruction. These reforms will increase the exploration of the workers, perpetuate and enlarge the denial of ""equal wage for equal work"" in flagrant violation of the decisions of the Supreme Court and will cause widespread unemployment and chaos all round.

Therefore, I request the Union Government to desist from the proposed reforms.